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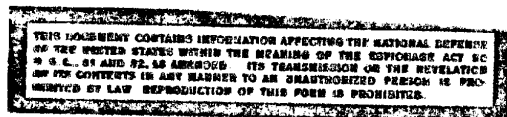
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1. Construction of the Institut fuer Magnetforschung at Hemholtzstrasse in Jena has been completed. The new institute is under the East German Academy of Sciences.

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The institute is now under the provisional direction of Herrmann Gengnagel.

2. In January 1953, the institute received an order from the Academy of Sciences to develop a device which would indicate small quantities of metal. From the specifications delivered by the Academy, the device appears to be a mine detector.

3. Development of the device is now in progress at the institute.

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